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### AMENDMENT / RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Applicant : Shinichiro Morita et al.

App. No : 10/070,938

Filed : June 4, 2002

For : MATRIX FOR REGENERATING  
CARDIOVASCULAR TISSUE AND  
METHOD FOR REGENERATING  
CARDIOVASCULAR TISSUE

Examiner : David M. Naff

Art Unit : 1651

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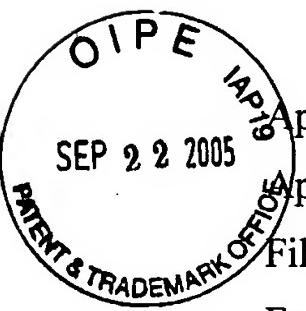
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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed May 17, 2005, please reconsider the present application in light of the following amendments and comments.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.